

The Honorable Julius Genachowski
Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

June 15, 2010

Re: MB Docket No. 10-56

Dear Chairman Genachowski:

Comcast has been instrumental in helping the residents of Porter County, Indiana. Comcast's investment in our communities is one reason why I believe you should approve its request to join with NBC Universal.

Since 1990, my organization, Rebuilding Together - Valparaiso, has brought together thousands of volunteers to help the elderly, disabled and those with low incomes. Last year alone, more than 600 volunteers - from church groups to university students to Valparaiso city employees - came together to help rehab 35 homes and nonprofit facilities. From landscaping and yard work to plumbing and electrical systems and roof and floor replacement, no job is too big or too small for our volunteers. We are part of the largest volunteer home rehabilitation organization in the United States; there are Rebuilding Together chapters in 865 cities and towns in all 50 states. Nationwide, more than 1.8 million volunteers have donated over 20 million hours to help revitalize more than 63,000 houses and nonprofit facilities.

This year, our volunteers are using equipment and supplies purchased with a sizable donation from Comcast. Without the support of Comcast and others who support Rebuilding Together, we would not be able to have such a big impact on our community.

Rebuilding Together is not the only organization that benefits from Comcast's local commitment in Valparaiso. Through my work in the community and with other non-profit organizations, I am aware that other charities, schools and libraries, and local governments benefit from Comcast's philanthropic donations and in-kind contributions. All of that activity strengthens this city and provides a better quality of life for those who need help.

Valparaiso's future is brighter thanks to Comcast's local commitments, and I encourage you to approve its proposal to join with NBC.

Sincerely,



Jeff Lamb

Director
Rebuilding Together – Valparaiso

CC: Commissioner Michael J. Copps
Commissioner Robert M. McDowell
Commissioner Mignon Clyburn
Commissioner Meredith Attwell Baker

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